

**In the Drawings**

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2003, Applicants have submitted formal drawings. A Request for Approval and Entry of Formal Drawings is enclosed along with the formal drawings.

**Remarks**

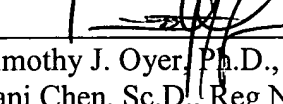
In the Office Action, the Examiner states that the informal drawings are not of sufficient quality to permit examination. Accordingly, Applicants have submitted formal drawings. Withdrawal of the objection to the drawings is therefore respectfully requested.

**Conclusion**

If the Examiner believes that the formal drawings are not of sufficient quality to permit examination, the Examiner is requested to call the Applicants' attorney at the telephone number listed below.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicants hereby request any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, that is not covered by an enclosed check, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,  
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